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(57) **Abstract:** This invention provides a high-build, self-polishing marine antifouling paint which affords a coated film having antifouling properties for a long period of time. The paint binder which is a fiber reinforced aldehyde resin comprises two synergistically acting components, Component A and Component B. Component A an aluminium di-sec-alkoxide ace-toacetic ester chelate is represented by the following formula (I): (R<sub>sup.1</sub>-O-)Al-(CH<sub>3</sub>-CO-CH-CO-O-R<sub>sub.2</sub>) wherein R<sub>sup.1</sub> represents an sec.-alkyl group having 3 to 10 carbon atoms, or a cycloalkyl group ; and R<sub>sub.2</sub> represents an alkyl group having 1 to 10 carbon atoms, or a cycloalkyl group. Component B a monoalkoxy organo-titanate-IV is represented by the following formula (II): R<sub>sub.3</sub>-O-Ti(-X)<sub>3</sub> wherein R<sub>sub.3</sub> is a monovalent organic group having from 2 to 30 carbon atoms or a substituted derivative thereof ; X in the above formulae independently represents an acylate group, a sulfonic acid residue, a phosphoric acid residue or a pyrophosphoric ester residue, or a mixture thereof.